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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1772.

BRESLAW, *July* 24.

A CAMP is ordered as Reiss, consisting of Prussian and Austrian Troops, where the Emperor of Germany and the King of Prussia are to have a conference in the beginning of September next.

The affair between the Russian and Austrian troops at Lemberg, puzzles all our Politicians: The Russian garrison there is about 3000 men strong, and the Austrians insist that the Russians shall leave that city, if not they will take it by force; but the Russians insist not to quit it, and are ready for defence.

PETERSBURGH, *Aug.* 4. We are informed that our fleets in the Archipelago and the Black Sea, are to be reinforced with 20 ships of war, and a number of troops. And Count Alexis Orlow hath received orders to sail immediately from Leghorn to the Archipelago, with all his men of war and transports, in order that he may be in a situation to continue the war with vigour by land and sea, in case a peace should not be concluded, when the time of the armistice finishes.

ALTENA, *Aug.* 22. The last letters received from Stockholm confirm the news of a great revolt in Sweden, which first broke out at Christianstadt, where the Burghers, accusing the States of not having employed any means to prevent the exorbitant price of provisions, and the oppression of the people, and resolving, they said, to have but one God and one King, they at length joined the soldiers of the garrison, who had seized the arsenal, and put several officers under arrest for refusing to come into their measures. These letters add, that at the departure of the post the gates of the town of Christianstadt were shut, and that Prince Charles of Sweden was marching at the head of a regiment towards Christianstadt, with some pieces of artillery, to re-establish good order.

LONDON,

Aug. 11. Commodore Shouldham, who is at Newfoundland, has sent home for a reinforcement of ships, as he expects that he shall be soon attacked by some French men of war, which are lately arrived in that part of the world.

The ministry are in daily expectation of advices from Berlin, on very important matters respecting the intended conduct of his Prussian Majesty, in case France or Spain should commence hostilities against Great-Britain.

Aug. 12. Lord Chatham is said to have written to a Great Personage a long letter upon East-India affairs, shewing the absolute necessity of taking the territorial affairs of India into the hands of the nation. The letter was submitted to the perusal of the Premier. Lord Camden assisted his Lordship in drawing up the plan, which, it is said, is perfect in its kind.

Aug. 14. A letter from the confines of Poland says, "The distresses of this unhappy country seem to encrease daily. Within the distance of fourteen leagues there are no less than eight different armies; and the united horror of fire, sword, pestilence and famine combine to make it the most wretched spot on the inhabitable globe."

Aug. 15. Lord Dartmouth is the first of the Rockingham party that has accepted of a place with the present ministry, and, it is said, was with the concurrence of his friends.

Advices received from Copenhagen mention, that the King has of late manifested an extraordinary absence of mind, and is almost continually in a state of despondency.

Aug. 17. On Saturday night some instructions were sent from the Admiralty Office for Portsmouth, to be forwarded from thence in the Halifax schooner, for Commodore Shouldham, Commander in chief on the Newfoundland station.

Aug. 18. Orders are issued for immediately building six frigates of 36 guns in the private yards on the river.

Aug. 19. Wagers are laid at the West end of the town that a newly appointed Secretary of State will not remain in office till the meeting of Parliament.

We hear from the Archipelago, that earthquakes are very frequent in the several islands in that sea, and that it is computed that no less than 700 houses have been destroyed, and 5000 inhabitants perished, within the last eight months.

Aug. 20. It is believed by some, that Lord Dartmouth's enterance into the Ministry, is only a prelude to other important changes; the names of Temple, Chatham, and Rockingham being still frequently brought up at Court, as if they were at last to be permitted to save the nation from destruction.

The noble resolutions entered into by several capital merchants of this city to import American wheat, must, it is believed, more effectually strike at the horrid practice of forestalling, than any legal provision that can be made against it.

Aug. 21. We are assured that Lord Harcourt, on his return from Versailles, has been enabled to assure his Majesty of the very amicable disposition and friendly sentiments of all the branches of the House of Bourbon towards Great Britain.

Aug. 26. They write from Holland, that the Dutch East-India Company have presented an ample memorial to the States General, in which they complain of the encroachments of the English in Bengal; particularly of their engrossing the saltpetre trade, which hath always been a very considerable branch of the Dutch commerce in India.

A Memorial has been lately received from the Hague, said to be relative to some differences now subsisting between the Dutch and English in the East-Indies.

We are told, that the Privy Council held on Monday night, was entirely on a motion of Lord North, and is said to be on India affairs.

They write from Paris, that the Royal Academy of Sciences there have elected Dr. Franklin, of Philadelphia, to fill the vacancy made among their foreign members by the death of Baron Van Swieten; and that the King has approved and confirmed their choice. There can be but eight of those foreign members by the constitution of the Academy; and as they are generally of the most distinguished names for science in the different parts of Europe, the honour of being enrolled among them is in higher estimation.

At the Court at St. James's, August 24, 1772, *Present*, The King's most excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Hon. William Earl of Dartmouth to be one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, his Lordship was this day, by his Majesty's command, sworn one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

Aug. 28. It is talked that the Duke of Gloucester will set out in a few days for the West of England, from thence to Scotland, whence his Royal Highness proposes to cross by way of Port Patrick to Ireland, in order to pay several visits in that kingdom.

The Lords of the Council who voted on the Ohio question, which caused the Earl of Hillsborough's resignation, were, Lord Gower, (the President) Lord Rochford, Lord Suffolk, (the Secretaries of State) and Lord Falmouth, for the intended settlement.—Against it, Lord North, Lord Hillsborough, and Lord Barrington.

Mr. Calcraft was so well recovered of a dropsical disorder, after having been three times tapped, that he proposed setting out this week for Naples, for the re-establishment of his health; but he took cold from being wet on Friday last on horseback, and died the Sunday following. He is said to have died worth near 600,000l. the principal part of which, we are told, he has bequeathed to his daughter, and that this daughter is contracted to the immediate heir of a ducal coronet.

Extract of a letter from Charles de Salis, Esq; at St. Trons, near Marseilles, to his brother the Rev. Mr. de Salis, in England, dated June 17, 1772.

"A boy here of twelve years of age, has the faculty of discovering water under ground. This gift of his was discovered about a year ago in the following manner: He was standing at work by his father, who was digging, and on a sudden called out, "Do not dig too deep or the water will appear." The man had the curiosity to dig about three feet deep and found a considerable spring. This singular thing being known in the province, several people of distinction, who wanted water on their estates, sent for him: Amongst others, Monsr. Borelle sent for him to an estate of his, where according to tradition, there had been three springs. The boy, without hesitation, carried him to every one of them. Monsr. de Bompart, Commander of the squadron at Toulon, sent for him to a house of his near the town; Monsr. de Bompart was so convinced of the boy's skill, that he immediately fell to work, and has succeeded. At a house which the Duke de Villars lived in, some of the water-conduits under it were choaked up; and as the direction of them was not known, they, to save the expence of taking up the floors, sent for the boy, who, on being carried to the spot, pointed to the place, and said, "Here the conduit begins, and goes in such a direction, &c. So much upon the relation of others; now for what I have seen myself. There was a neighbour of mine, as curious as myself to find out whether this boy had really such a gift. We agreed to put water in a large earthen pan, hermetically covered with another, and then place it in a hole two feet under ground in a vineyard that had been lately tilled. In order that nobody should inform him of it, at night we dug the hole ourselves, then covered it over, and smoothed the ground for 20 feet round. This we did in two places. The boy arrived next morning, and we took him about the country to shew his skill. He went before us alone, with his hands in a short waistcoat, and stopped short whenever he found water, spoke of it, and followed to the spring head. Little by little, we brought him to where the water was hid; and I never was so astonished in my life as to see him go out of the way, stamp upon the spot, and say, "Here is water here, but it does not run." The earth was removed, and the pan found directly under. We took him by the second place, which he also discovered, but was angry at being deceived. He then found out a large spring in my neighbour's house, which he was greatly in want of for an oil-mill he has there."

Aug. 29. The King of P———a's private intercourse with the Swedes gives, it is said, no small umbrage to all the neighbouring powers, insomuch that remonstrances have been presented, which that martial prince has treated with great haughtiness and disregard.

It is generally believed that a revolution is inevitable at a certain Northern court, as also that some powers are concerned in it, who affect, at present to be mere spectators.

It is reported that the French have lately given very large orders for powder and ball in all the ports of Holland to be delivered into his Christian Majesty's dockyards before Christmas next.

It is said that no superior posts in the army will, for the future, be disposed of, or exchanged, without the consent and approbation of his Majesty.

Letters from Vienna say, that a league is forming there between some Northern &c. Potentates, to put a stop to the progress of the Prussian Monarch in Polish Prussia.

Great-Britain feels at this hour the fatal effects of her ill judged conduct towards the Americans. The balance of trade to America was so great before the division happened as to fill this country with gold and silver, particularly the latter, the want of which is now so grievously felt by every man in trade from one end of this kingdom to the other. The division between the mother country and her colonies gave the first rise to the extension of paper credit, the evil consequence of which is now manifested.

Sept. 2. They write from the Hague, that the partizans of the House of Bourbon have been for some time secretly soliciting the Dutch to come into a treaty for the mutual security of their possessions in the East and West-Indies, but that the English interest had proved strong enough to break off the connexion.

Extract of a Letter from Hamburgh, August 23.

"The day before yesterday two expresses were dispatched from Stockholm, and passed through this city, one in the forenoon, the other in the evening; in their way through our city, they left several letters behind them; one of them is said to be dispatched for France, the other for England; each of them left a letter at the Minister Monsieur House's; but it is no longer a secret here. The following is the intelligence they brought: "The four great cities, namely, Christianstadt, Joenkjoeping, Landscrona, and Gothenburgh, have declared his Majesty the King of Sweden as their absolute Sovereign. On the 13th of this month, Prince Charles, who was then at Schonen, immediately put himself at the head of the troops and the militia of Landscrona, and Prince Frederick Adolphus did the same at Gothenburg. These two Princes joined together, with an army of about 10,000 men, and marched before the walls of Stockholm; in their march they declared every where the King to be absolute; and on their arrival at Stockholm, they demanded their princely right, which have been limited and oppressed by the present Deputies do recall the late Act, call the *Assurance of the King*, in which his Majesty is limited, in manner not to be suffered by an anointed King." The private letters received from thence, since that date, differ only in one article; some say, that his Majesty immediately left Stockholm, and retired to Joenkjoeping to join his troops there, in order to force the States to discharge him of his oath of coronation; but others say, that his Majesty kept himself very snug at Stockholm till the army came before the walls, then he communicated his design to the States; and after a resistance which was made by great part of the Clergy, and some of the Nobles, they found themselves obliged to discharge his Majesty of his oath, and to declare him an absolute Sovereign. It is remarkable, that no resistance at all was made by the other two States of the Peasants and Burghers. Other letters say, that this important revolution has been published already in a manifesto."

A Commission of Oyer and Terminer this day passed the Great Seal, authorizing and impowering the Governors of New-York and Connecticut, and others named therein, to try any person or persons that may be taken in consequence of the Proclamation issued for apprehending any that were concerned in plundering and burning the Gaspee schooner.

Sept. 5. An evening paper says, "Orders are come from the Court of Denmark to their agent here to pay to this Court 60,000l. which is the fortune given to Queen Carolina Matilda, and which the Court of Denmark have thought proper to return; also 20,000l. more, in consideration of the presents made to the Queen on her marriage with the King of Denmark. And it is added, that the above sums of money are to be appropriated for the future maintenance and support of the Queen of Denmark, who, as soon as it is settled, is to come to reside in England."

The last ships which arrived from the Straits at Lisbon, give a long detail of a dreadful conspiracy

which broke out in that country. It was not ſuppreſſed but with great difficulty and effuſion of blood, there being killed in one engagement 272 of the conſpirators and 100 wounded; and of the Portugueſe 14 killed and 32 wounded.

No leſs than eight commiſſions of bankruptcy paſſed the Great Seal yeſterday. One of them is againſt a perſon who is ſaid to have ſtopped for near 300,000l.

Yeſterday a proclamation paſſed the Great Seal, promiſing a reward of 500l. for the diſcovering and apprehending any of the perſons concerned in burning the Gaſpee ſchooner in Providence river, on the 10th of June laſt; alſo a further reward of 500l. and his Majeſty's pardon to any of the offenders, for apprehending each of the ringleaders.

A letter from Copenhagen, dated Auguſt 18, ſays, "The frigate of war Chriſtianſoe, which arrived here a few months ago from the Mediterranean, went back for that ſea the day before yeſterday, and all our ſhips, in their returning home from that ſea, received orders to return again into the Mediterranean; the reaſon of which is ſtill unknown, but it is ſtrongly reported that there will ſoon happen a great and important revolution."

A perſon juſt arrived from Liſbon reports, that that court had received ſome diſagreeable advices from the Portugueſe ſettlement of Goa, on the Malabar coaſt.

Letters from Corſica inform, that the duties laid on all Engliſh goods imported into that iſland, are ſo high that they almoſt amount to a prohibition.

St. James's, Sept. 1. The King has been pleaſed to grant unto George James Williams and Francis North, Eſqrs; the Office of Receiver General of all his Majeſty's revenues within his colony and dominion of Virginia.

Baltimore, October 28, 1772.

Juſt imported, from Liverpool *and* London,

A LARGE and neat Aſſortment of Dry Goods, well calculated for the Seaſon: Alſo *Liverpool* bottled Beer, and *London* Porter; any of which may be had on very moderate Terms, by applying to

tf HENRY THOMPSON.

October 20, 1772.

TO BE SOLD,

OLD Corn on the Ears, about 800 Buſhels on *Wye-River*, in *Queen-Anne's* County, and about the ſame Quantity on *Cheſter*. Enquire of Mr. *Bennett Chew* in *Annapolis*, or of the Subſcriber near *Queen's-Town*.

3w EDWARD TILGHMAN.

September 26, 1772.

THE Subſcriber hereby gives Notice to all Perſons to beware of buying or contracting for a Bond on *John Ellet* and *David Beatty*, which Sum is Fifty Pounds, both in *Pennſylvania*, in *Canoſtagah*, which Bond was picked out of my Pocket in *Frederick-Town*, and if any Perſon finds the ſaid Bond, and will deliver it to *Ludwick Weltner's*, in *Frederick-Town*, ſhall have One Dollar, and if the Thief ſecured, ſhall receive Four Dollars of me,

JOSHUA JONES.

N. B. The Bond is due the Firſt of *November* next.

October 20, 1772.

WHEREAS I paſt my Bond to *Jeremiah Chance*, of *Baltimore* County, in *Maryland*, on or about *Auguſt*, 1770, for Five Hundred Pounds Currency, and have ſince diſcharged the ſame, and as the ſaid *Chance* aſſerts that the Bond was ſtolen from him, all Perſons are forbid to take any Aſſignment thereof.

ABRAHAM JARRETT.

I HAVE ſeveral Times in this Manner begged my Cuſtomers to come to a Settlement, but find they pay little or no Regard to my Requeſts; I now for the laſt Time deſire all Perſons that are indebted to me for Dealings, One Year or upwards ſtanding, either for Ordinary Expences, Blackſmith's Work, for Fiſh, or any other Contract whatever, here, at *Piſcataway*, or at *Elk-Ridge Landing*, to come immediately, ſettle, and pay off the ſame. For Payment I will take Beef, Pork, Wheat, Oats, or Credit in any Store in *Piſcataway*, *Elk-Ridge Landing*, *Queen-Anne*, or Mr. *Kinſey Johns*, Merchant, *Pig-Point*. All thoſe who neglect paying me off, between this and the 20th Day of *November*, whoſe Accounts will bear an Action in Court, may depend on them being given into an Attorney's Hands, and the Accounts that are ſmaller, ſhall be collected by the Conſtable without reſpect to Perſons. But hope every one concerned will comply with the above, which will prevent Trouble and Expence to themſelves, and greatly oblige *Their very humble Servant*,

w6 ALEXANDER BURRELL.

N. B. I have appointed Mr. *Henry Jones* to demand, ſettle, and receive all my Accounts, and his Receipts ſhall be good againſt my Books. A. B.

STRAYED or STOLEN from *Bladenſburg*, on Wedneſday the 16th of *September*, a bay Horſe, about 14 Hands high, branded I think with a Figure of 8, has a Switch Tail and hanging Mane, with a Star, paces and canters. Any Perſon apprehending ſaid Horſe, and will contrive him to *Henry Bradford* at *Bladenſburg*, or to me at *Piſcataway*, ſhall have Twenty Shillings paid them by

(w4) WILLIAM DIGGES.

Baltimore-Town, Maryland, October 20, 1772.

TO THE PUBLICK.

IT is the Sentiment of the wiſeſt and beſt Men that adorn our Age and Nation, that the *Liberty of the Preſs* is ſo eſſential to the Support of that Conſtitution under which we have hitherto derived the Bleſſings of Freedom, that it becomes every one to conſider, in the moſt reverential Light, this Palladium of our Rights—an Opinion every Friend to Liberty and his Country muſt wiſh univerſally to prevail.—And as nothing hath a greater Tendency to ſecure to us that ineſtimable Bleſſing, than the encouraging and ſupporting well conducted *News-Papers*, which, it is generally acknowledged, *diſpel Ignorance, the Parent of Slavery, give a Taſte for Reading, and cauſe uſeful Knowledge to be cultivated and encouraged*, I flatter myſelf a Propoſal for eſtabliſhing another *publick Paper* in this great commercial Province, will meet with the Approbation of its publick ſpirited Inhabitants in general, thoſe of this flouriſhing Town and County in particular, and be encouraged accordingly. The many important Advantages that flow from ſuch Inſtitutions, are ſo well known to the buſy Part of Mankind, as well as to Gentlemen of Leiſure and Curioſity, that Arguments need not be uſed, on this Occaſion, to illuſtrate their apparent Utility.

Encouraged by the polite, candid and generous Invitation I ſome Time ſince received from many Gentlemen of the moſt reſpectable Characters, to eſtabliſh my Buſineſs in this Town, and affected with a lively Gratitude for paſt Kindneſſes, as well as for this Inſtance of their favourable Opinion of me, I have determined to comply with their Wiſhes, ſo very obligingly manifeſted: For which Purpoſe, I have engaged a ſuitable *Printing-Apparatus*, which will be ſpeedily here, and, under Favour of the Publick, I intend to proſecute the *Printing Buſineſs*, in this Place, in all its Branches, both in the *Engliſh* and other Languages, in a neat, correct and expeditious Manner—and, in particular, I now propoſe to publiſh, by Subſcription, with all poſſible Expedition, a *Weekly News-Paper*, under the Title of

THE MARYLAND JOURNAL,
AND
BALTIMORE ADVERTISER:

To be printed in four large Folio Pages, equal in Size to any of the *Pennſylvania* Papers, at the moderate Price of TEN SHILLINGS, current Money, *per Annum*, one Half to be paid at the Time of ſubſcribing, and the Remainder at the Expiration of the Year—to be publiſhed regularly every Saturday Morning, unleſs another Day ſhould appear more agreeable to the Subſcribers, and delivered immediately after to the Cuſtomers in Town, and forwarded to thoſe who live in the Country, and Places adjacent, by the earlieſt Opportunities:—To contain every material Piece of Intelligence, either *foreign* or *domeſtic*, with Accounts of the Arrival and Departure of Ships, the current Prices of Goods, the Courſe of Exchange, Deaths, Accidents, and Events of every Kind, that may be thought intereſting to the Publick,—to enable myſelf to do which, I have already eſtabliſhed an extenſive Correſpondence, and ſhall not only receive all the different Weekly *American* Papers, but alſo the beſt News-Papers, political Pamphlets, Regiſters, Magazines, and other periodical Publications of *Great-Britain* and *Ireland*, as well as the moſt valuable Papers of *German Advices*,—from whence the moſt uſeful and entertaining Extracts ſhall be occaſionally made;—So that there will be ſcarce any remarkable Occurence, extraordinary Phenomemon, curious Invention, or new Diſcovery in Nature or Science, but what the Reader will find ſuch Information as may enable him to judge for himſelf concerning it.—I ſhall alſo take particular Care to inſert all the judicious original Eſſays, in Proſe and Verſe, on political and other Subjects, with which I may be favoured by the Learned and Ingenious,—and of this I may aſſure the Publick, as well as my own particular Correſpondents, that the Freedom of the Preſs ſhall be maintained, the utmoſt Impartiality obſerved, and every well-written Piece admitted, without Scruple, that does not tend to deſtroy or impair our excellent Conſtitution, injure the Cauſe of Liberty, diſturb the Repoſe of Society, give Offence to Modeſty, or, in any Shape, reflect Scandal on a *News-Paper*.

Advertiſements ſhall likewiſe be accurately publiſhed, in a conſpicuous Manner, with great Punctuality, at the cuſtomary Prices.

As thoſe who promiſe more than they are able to perform, are juſtly Objects of Ridicule, I ſhould rather wiſh *my Performance* ſhould *exceed* than *fall ſhort* of the Propoſals; to effect which no Diligence or Attention ſhall be wanting on my Side,—which will, I perſuade myſelf, meet in Time with a proportionable Return from the generous Publick—as ſoon therefore as I ſhall obtain a ſufficient Number of Subſcribers *barely* to defray the Expence of the Work, the Paper ſhall be publiſhed.

Subſcriptions are taken in at the Coffee-Houſes in *Baltimore-Town* and *Annapolis*, and by the ſeveral Perſons with whom Subſcription Papers are left,—and I ſhould be much obliged to any Gentleman or Lady, in Town or Country, for his or her good Offices in promoting this my new Undertaking. I am, with the utmoſt Deference and Reſpect, the Publick's moſt obedient and devoted humble Servant,

tf WILLIAM GODDARD.

October 19, 1772.

LOST at the Play-Houſe Door on Saturday the Third Inſt. a green Leather Pocket Book, with a Memorandum-Book bound in it, tied with brown Silk Ferret: There was in it ſome Caſh, and a Number of Papers of Uſe only to the Owner.

Whoever has it, and will bring it to Mr. *Colin Campbell* in *Annapolis*, ſhall be welcome to the Money in the Book, and ſhall be paid Fifteen Shillings Currency for their Trouble, and no Queſtions aſked

JOHN ALLAN THOMAS.

October 5, 1772.

THESE are to give Notice to all Perſons to whom it may concern, that there has lately been Bonds paſſed from a certain *Chriſtian Miller*, of *Frederick* County, in the Province of *Maryland*, to a certain *Chriſtopher Beeler*, of *Bedford* County, in the Province of *Penſylvania*, to the amount of Four Hundred Pounds Current Money of *Penſylvania*. I do hereby warn all Perſons, not to purchaſe or buy any of ſaid Bonds or Obligations, or give any Value for them, as I look upon it that they were illegally obtained by ſaid *Chriſtopher Beeler*; he not being able to make a good and ſufficient Title for the Land ſold in Recompence for ſaid Bonds, and ſaid Land not in his Poſſeſſion at preſent, but in the Poſſeſſion of *Agey Meloney*, and I intend to diſpute paying of ſaid Bonds. CHRISTIAN MILLER.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Robert Peter*, living in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a black Gelding, appears to be 11 Years old, about 14 and an Half Hands high, has ſeveral Saddle Spots on his Back, and branded on the near Shoulder W D or W R. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Gerard B. Causin*, near *Port-Tobacco*, a large black and white Stray Steer, he appears to have been broke for an Ox, and is marked with a Crop on each Ear, and Two Notches in the left. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Jeſiah Green*, of *Patapſco Neck, Lower Hundred*, a ſtout Stray bay Horſe, about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock d with a Stroke at the Bottom, ſhod before, and paces. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges. w3

THERE is at the Plantation of *Vachell Sewell*, living on *South-River*, a dark bay Stray Horſe, about Nine Years old, 13 Hands high, paces and gallops, no Brand, but has ſome ſmall white Saddle Spots, and appears never to have had Shoes. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges. 3w

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THERE is at the Plantation of *Nicholas Ridgely*, a ſmall Stray bay Mare, about 13 Hands high, appears to be much of the Blood, and of the Breed of the Horſe known by the Name of *Old Tom*, hath a Star in her Forehead, many ſmall white Spots about her Body, her Bearing white, ſhe appears to be Three Years old.——The Owner may have her again, proving Property nad paying Charges. w3

THERE is at the Plantation of *Jeremiah Spiers*, living near the Mouth of *Conococheague*, taken up as a Stray, a middle ſized black Horſe, about 14 Hands high, with a Star in his Forehead, and Two white Feet, trots and gallops, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock thus *H*, and about 15 Years old. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Catrin Baggerly*, living in *Frederick* County, near *Rock-Creek* Church, a Stray Heifer marked, an under Piece taken out of the right Ear, and a Slit in the left, of a reddiſh Colour. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges.

COMMITTED to *St. Mary's* Jail, as a Runaway, Negro *Cridgo*, he is committed as the Property of *William Geddis*, Eſq; from his own Account he was ſold in the *Weſt-Indies*, by one *Levin Diſchield*, on account of ſaid *Geddis*, to Capt. *John Evans*; *Evans* ſold him to Capt. *Daniel Croughter*, who he ſays ſoon after died, but diſcerning his Sickneſs told him, that if he died, he ſhould be free; he is a well made Fellow, 6 Feet 1 Inch high: Has on, a ſhort blue Jacket, Check Shirt, Oſnabrig Trouſers, and old Hat.——His Maſter (if any) is deſired to take him away and pay Charges, ſo

JENIFER TAYLOR, Sheriff.

To be ſold at publick Vendue, at Upper-Marlborough, *on Wedneſday the 2d Day of* November *Court*,

FOUR Lots of Ground in ſaid Town, with Improvements thereon, a Dwelling-Houſe, a Kitchen, Brick Milk Houſe, a Garden, Smith's Shop, a large Warehouſe, &c. One Negro Woman, and all the Effects of Mr. *John Kingsbury* of every Kind whatſoever, for Sterling Caſh, or good *London* Bills of Exchange, by us the Subſcribers, being Truſtees for ſaid *Kingsbury*, unto Mrs. *Sarah Brice* of *Annapolis*, as *per* Deed, which will be ſhewn on the Day of Sale.

GEORGE F. MAGRUDER,
BASIL MAGRUDER,
w6 THOMAS MAGRUDER,
FRANCIS FREELAND.

Baltimore, October 12, 1772.

Juſt arrived, from Rotterdam, *in the Brig* Betſey, *Capt.* Bryſon, *lying at* Fell's-Point,

A NUMBER of Palatine Paſſengers, whoſe Freights are to be paid to

w3 JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

N. B. The *Betſey* carries about 200 Hogſheads Tobacco, or 6000 Buſhels, and is to be chartered; apply to J. C.

October 1, 1772.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on the 20th of November *next,*

A PLANTATION consisting of about 200 Acres of good Land, with a Merchant-Mill, and Saw-Mill on the Premises situate on *Rock-Creek*, in *Frederick* County, about 16 Miles from *George-Town*, 15 from *Bladensburg*, and 33 from *Baltimore*: On said Land is a comfortable Dwelling-House, several Out-Houses, and a good Orchard, about 60 Acres of Upland cleared, some Meadow, more may be made, and watered. The Merchant-Mill is Three Stories high, Two of Stone and One of Frame; the Water Wheel 20 Feet high, overshot, with Two Pair of Stones, both double geered, turned on a good Stream, well situate for Merchant and Country Work, in a peaceable Neighbourhood, which must be an Inducement to the Purchaser; they are esteemed well constructed Mills, *&c.*

6w JOSEPH ELGAR.

October 1, 1772.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on the 21st of November *next,*

ABOUT 150 Acres of valuable Land, whereon is a good *Grist-Mill*, double geered, about 30 Acres of good Meadow, well set with Timothy, and 40 more may be easily made; this Land is situate on the Draft of *Patuxent*, in *Frederick* County, about 17 Miles from *Bladensburg*, 23 from *George-Town*, and 28 from *Baltimore*. Time will be given for good Part of the Purchase Money, by

6w JAMES BROOKE.

October 14, 1772.

To be sold in Calvert *County, on the Premises, on Tuesday the 24th of* November,

ABOUT 700 Acres of Land, lying on the main Branch of *St. Leonard's-Creek*, well wooded, whereon may be made about 80 Acres of Meadow, it will be sold together or in Parcels: Also on Thursday the 26th *November*, about 160 Acres of Land, with a good Marsh, and convenient for fishing and oystering: Credit will be given for Half the Purchase Money, upon paying Interest and giving Security if required: Also to be sold at Vendue, at *St. Leonard's-Creek* Town, on Tuesday the 1st *December*, about £. 200 Cost of Goods, payable next *September*, clear of Interest, upon giving Security if required.

4w JAMES SOMERVELL.

Just arrived in the Britannia, *Capt.* William Scott, *from* Port-Glasgow,

ABOUT One Hundred Servants, Men, Women, and Children, the Men and Women are under Indenture for Four Years, and their Children by Agreement, are to serve till they are Twenty-one Years old: Those that are married will be sold together; there are some Tradesmen amongst them, but the greatest Part are Farmers; these are Part of the People who were compelled to leave their Native Country by the Oppression of the Land-Holders; they are orderly and well behaved, and will be disposed of at *Bladensburg*, for ready Cash, or Bills of Exchange, by

1m CHRISTOPHER LOWNDES.

Elk-Ridge, October, 17, 1772.

Just imported, from London, *in the Ship* Galloway, *Captain* Bishoprick, *and to be sold at my Store, at* Elk-Ridge Landing *very cheap (by Wholesale or Retail) for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or any Kind of Country Produce,*

A LARGE and general Assortment of Merchandize.

4w JOHN DORSEY.

ELK-RIDGE LANDING RACES.

October 16, 1772.

To be run for, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, on Thursday the 5th Day of November,

A PURSE of Twenty Pounds Current Money, the best Two in Three, Two Mile Heats, to carry Weight for Age, agreeable to the Rules of racing.

Likewise to be run for, on Friday the 6th of same Month, at the same Place, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the best Two in Three, Two Mile Heats, a Purse of Six Pounds like Money; Rules as above.

The Horses that start for the First Day's Purse, to be entered with *Thomas Ricketts* the Wednesday before the Race, and pay if a Subscriber, Seventeen Shillings and Sixpence, and if not, Twenty-seven Shillings and Six-pence. The Horses that start the Second Day, to be entered as above, the Thursday before the Race, and to pay Ten Shillings Entrance.

Baltimore, September 23, 1772.

Imported in the Totness, *Captain* Hudson, *from* Liverpool,

A LARGE and general Assortment of Goods suitable to the Season, *viz.* Kerseys, Fearnoughts, Duffils, Hunters, Plains, Halfthicks, Matchcoat Blanketting, Salt, Coals, bottled Beer, and some excellent Red Port: Likewise a Parcel of 7 and 5 Years Servants, among which are, a Blacksmith, Weaver, Brickmaker, Schoolmaster, Farmers, *&c.* to be disposed of, by

4w ASHBURNER & PLACE.

Agreeable to the last Will and Testament of Col. Charles Hammond, *deceased, will be sold for ready Money, on Monday the 2d Day of* November *next,*

ABOUT Forty Head of black Cattle, at his Quarter, on *Broad-Neck*, among which are Milch Cows, and Steers for Slaughter.

2w ROBERT COUDRN.

Upper-Marlborough, October 12, 1772.

THE Subscriber, Attorney in Fact for Mr. *Thomas Philpot*, of *London*, Merchant, has the Pleasure of informing his Friends and Correspondents in this Country, that he has received Information from Mr. *Philpot*, that he has settled his Affairs in *England* in so favourable a Manner, that the Creditors there will not be under any Necessity of following his Effects here, for the Satisfaction of their Claims. Mr. *Philpot* having given Security in *England* according to the Terms agreed upon with his Creditors; and that by the best Estimate the Subscriber has been able to form of his Property in *Maryland* and *Virginia*, there is more than enough to discharge every just Demand which can be brought against him, provided a moderate Indulgence is given, and needless Expences of Suits at Law are avoided; and the Subscriber, that he may be enabled the sooner to satisfy all those just Demands, intreats the Debtors of Mr. *Philpot* to make immediate Payment of the Sums they respectively owe. If this reasonable Request is neglected, Actions will be commenced without Respect of Persons. Those who have Demands against Mr. *Philpot*, are desired to send them properly authenticated.

4w FRANK LEEKE, Attorney in Fact.

Annapolis, October 20, 1772.

STOLEN from the Subscriber, a large red Leather Pocket-Book, which contained among other Papers, Two *Annapolis* Lottery Tickets, signed *Colin Campbell*, and one Ticket in the *Petit's-Island* Lottery, No. 2209, signed *Whitehead Humphreys*, indorsed paid *James Williams* Twenty-two and Sixpence. As the Papers are of no Consequence to any Body but the Owner, the Book may probably be thrown away. Any Person who may chance to find it, and will deliver it with the Contents, shall receive as a Reward Two Dollars.

2w THOMAS HYDE.

October 17, 1772.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on *Kent-Island*, the 11th Inst. a Convict Servant Man, named *Edward Davey*, about 20 Years of Age, a well set Fellow, about 5 Feet high, dark coloured Hair: Had on, old blue and white Jacket, a Pair of old Tow Trousers, and Two Tow Shirts, One of them had no Button-holes, but in the Wristband, old Felt Hat tarred, a Pair of old Shoes; he had on an Iron Collar when he went off. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him in any Jail, so that his Master may get him again, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward, including what the Law allows, paid by

ROBERT WEEDEN.

FOUR DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in *Annapolis*, on the 10th Day of *October*, 1772, a Convict Woman, named *Catharine Pardon*, of a middling Size, has dark Hair, a fresh Colour, and is pitted with the Small-Pox: Had on, when she went off, it is supposed, a purple and white Bedgown, a pink stuff Petticoat, and a black Bonnet; but as she took many Things with her, it is likely she may disguise herself, and change her Name. She is subject to all manner of Vice, and is supposed to have gone towards *Baltimore*. She appears to be with Child, and is an artful deceiving Hussey. Any Person giving Intelligence of her, so that her Master may get her again, shall be paid the above Reward, by

3w CONSTANTINE BULL.

Baltimore, October 17, 1772.

LANDED to my Care some *considerable* Time ago (I believe from the *Hazard*, Capt. *New*) Eight Quarter Casks Gunpowder, marked C S: Also, some Whip, Crosscut and other Saws loose, without Mark or Number. The Owners are desired to send for them in Six Weeks from this Date, otherwise I will sell them for their Accounts.

ws JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

Baltimore, August 27, 1772.

THE Subscriber intending for *Europe*, desires all those who have any Demands against him, to furnish their Accounts that they may be settled and paid, and those who are indebted to the Subscriber are requested to discharge the same immediately, otherwise the Bonds, Notes, and Accounts which are not discharged by the first of October next, will be put into the Hands of a Lawyer for the more speedy recovery.

THOMAS EWING.

Just imported, and to be sold by the Subscribers, at their Store in Gay-street, Baltimore,

GENUINE old Barbadoes Spirit, West-India Rum, Muscovado Sugars and Liverpool blowne Salt.

EWING & HALL.

N. B. They purpose keeping themselves well stocked with the very best Spirit, where their Friends may depend on being supplied, and at a moderate Rate. w4

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,

THE Plantation or Tract of Land, whereon he now lives, containing about 1400 Acres, more or less, together with all the Improvements thereon; a Brick Dwelling House, 45 by 35, with Four Rooms, with Fire-places and a Passage below, and Four Rooms, with Two Fire-places and a Passage above; the Rooms below are Wainscoat, and above divided with Plank, all finished except the Passages; there is a convenient House at one End of the Dwelling, 30 by 30, which contains a Kitchen, Dairy, Nursery, and Passage, *&c.* A new Barn just finished, 40 by 24, with several large and almost new Tobacco-Houses, a Store, Lumber-House, new Stable, Quarters, Smith's Shop, and several other Houses, a large Garden, and as fine an Apple Orchard of the best of Fruit as any in the County; there is plenty of Wood and Timber, and a level Way to the House with Wood; there are Four or Five Tenements upon the Land, which rent for Four or Five Thousand Pounds of Crop Tobacco *per* Year; there is a fine and almost new Tub-Mill, with Two Pair of large Cullin Stones, a Gur-Mill, with One Pair of Stones, and a Bolting-Mill not quite finished, but shall be in a short Time; the Tub-Mill has gained about Six Bushels of Grain *per* Day for Eight or Nine Months in the Year, and less for the Remainder; I dare say they will gain more in Proportion when the other is finished, as it will be the first of the Kind in that Part of the Country; there are Two or Three Hundred Acres of fine Meadow Land, about Twenty of which is in fine Timothy, a large Quantity ready to sow and seed if wanting; there is a fine Piece of Tobacco Land just below the Houses quite Level, which will make this Year, bad as it has been, upwards of Forty Hogsheads of Tobacco, and a Corn Field that will produce this Year Four Hundred Barrels, both of which may be greatly enlarged with ease, and the Land mostly low and rich; there is plenty of extraordinary Pasture Ground, and very convenient to the House, and a fine Stream of Water through most of the low Lands; there are likewise a few Hundred Acres of leased Land, which may be sold likewise: A considerable Credit may be had if required for greatest Part, if not all the Purchase Money, upon paying Interest; there is no Incumbrance upon the Land, except that of my being Security to the Loan-Office for some Money, which the Purchaser may take upon himself in the common Way, if agreeable. Any one inclinable to purchase, may view the Land and know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber in *St. Mary's* County, where the Land is pleasantly situated upon a fine Piece of rising Ground in the midst of the best Lands, about Two Miles from *Leonard-Town*, and about Five from *Colt's* Warehouse, upon *Patuxent*; and as I intend to leave this Province next *May*, I desire all indebted to me to make immediate Payment, otherwise they must expect to be dealt with as the Law directs, and those to whom I am indebted may depend upon as speedy and as agreeable a Payment as possible. I have Seven *African* Slaves for Sale, which have been in the Country Two Years.

w2 ATHANASIUS FORD.

This is to acquaint all Merchants and others, who are Owners and Occupiers of Corn Mills,

That JAMES APPLETON, senior,

Has opened a Yard at Liverpool, *where he has*

A Large, choice, and picked Parcel of *French Burr-Stones*, which he purposes to sell on as low Terms as they can be had in any Part of *England*, either ready made up, of any Size, or in the Burr; and he flatters himself those of the Trade, to whom he is known, will allow he is very capable of judging what Kind of a Burr is most suitable to preserve the Condition and Colour of Flour, and at the same Time of grinding most expeditiously, he having been above Thirty Years in this Branch of Business, near Forty in the Millering, and great Part of the Time in the South of *England*. He is the only Importer of this Article into *Liverpool* from *France*, whither he generally sends an experienced Man, or goes himself to pick them at the Quarry.

Also, he has just imported, a Quantity of *Cologn Dog-Stones*, or *Black Stones*, such as are used in *North-America*, for grinding Wheat, and of the best and even Quality, which he proposes likewise to sell on as low Terms as can be had in any Part of *England*. If those Gentlemen that have Occasion will be pleased to give their Correspondents Orders to call on the said *J. Appleton*, they may rest confirmed of being supplied equal to the most experienced being present.

STOLEN or STRAYED, on or about the 15th of *April*, from near *Patuxent* Furnace, a white Mare, 13 Hands 3 Inches high, 9 or 10 Years old, branded on the near Shoulder, but the Mark is forgot; has a Hog Mane, grown up but not hanging over, shod before and trimmed all Fours, rises on her Loins, has a large Scar on the same, on which had been a Sore; has a long Switch Tail, trots and gallops. Whoever brings the said Mare to Mr. *Samuel Snowden's*, shall have a Reward of Three Dollars, and reasonable Charges, paid by

(w6) JOHN GREEN.

THE Ship *Patuxent*, *David Lewis*, Master, now lying in *Patapsco* River, takes Tobacco at the usual Freight, with Liberty of Confignment to any Merchant in *London*: She has good Accomodations for Paſſengers, and will ſail by the 15th *October* without fail. Apply to Meſſrs. *Lux* and *Bowley*, at *Baltimore-Town*, to Meſſrs. *Gaither* and *Norwood*, at *Elk-Ridge*, or ſaid Maſter on board.

I intend to Ship on board the above Veſſel, a conſiderable Quantity of Tobacco left out by *Robertſon* and *Richardſon*, and all Tobaccoes conſigned to *Weſt* and *Hobſon* by this Ship, will be inſured at Seven Pounds *per* Hogſhead.

4w STEPHEN WEST.

To be ſold for Caſh, Bills of Exchange, or Crop-Tobacco,

THE following Parcels of Land, *Wynn's Weſt Lot*, containing 52 Acres, Part of *Wynn's Middle Lot*, 162 Acres: Theſe Two Parcels of Land join each other, lying about Three Miles from *Piſcataway*, in *Prince-George's* County: *Wynn's Eaſt and Weſt Littleworth*, containing 143 Acres, *Littleworth* 50 Acres; Part 2d, *Addition* to *Littleworth*, 53 Acres: Theſe Three Parcels join each other, about Four Miles from *Piſcataway*. There are Three or Four Tenants on theſe Lands, but only Tenants at Will. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe theſe Lands, or any of them, may know the Terms, by applying to *John Wynn*, near *Piſcataway*. tf

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Juſt imported, from London, in the Nelly *Frigate, Captain* Greig, *and to be ſold by the Subſcriber, at Wholeſale, for Caſh, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco,*

A LARGE and Compleat Aſſortment of Goods ſuitable to all Seaſons, the Amount upwards Six Thouſand Pounds. Any Part will be ſold that may beſt ſuit the Purchaſers. They are landed at *George-Town*, on *Patowmack*, with Mr. *William Deakins*, junr. where any Perſon may be ſupplied, by applying to him, or

6w THOMAS CONTEE.

Annapolis. Sept. 30, 1772.

CHARLES JACOB and ABRAHAM CLAUDE,
WATCHMAKERS FROM LONDON,

Have juſt opened Shop, oppoſite Mr. Ghiſelin's, *in* Weſt-Street,

WHERE they repair all Sorts of repeating, horizontal, and plain Watches, in the neateſt and moſt approved Manner, and at the moſt reaſonable Rates. Thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen that pleaſe to favour them with their Cuſtom, may depend on having their Work done with the greateſt Punctuality and Exactneſs, as they will execute all the Work themſelves without employing any other Perſon, and engage their Work for one Year: They will alſo ſupply any Perſon with Watches of their own make, and warrant them as good as if bought in *London*.

Charles County, *Pomonkey-Neck, September* 21, 1772.

To be rented or leaſed for a Term of Years,

THREE very commodious fiſhing Landings, ſituate on *Patowmack-River*, between *Piſcataway* and *Pomonkey* Creeks, in a very convenient Place for Market by Land and Water; they are remarkable Places for Shads and Herrings early in the Spring; on one there is a commodious Fiſhing-houſe, and other Conveniencies for ſecuring Seines Ropes, *&c.* The other Two Places or either of them may be improved agreeable to the Tenant's Direction, on his prodncing Materials at the Place. For Terms apply to

tf RICHARD BRANDT.

September 4, 1772.

DORCHESTER County School being now vacant, the Viſitors of ſaid School give this Notice, that any Perſon well qualified for Maſter of ſaid School, will find Encouragement by applying to the Viſitors aforeſaid,

Signed per Order
4w H. HALE, Regiſter.

To be leaſed for a Term of Years,

FIVE Hundred Acres of Land, the Plantation in good Repair, with a large Dwelling and other neceſſary Buildings, a good Meadow and Orchard, together with 12 or 14 Negroes, and Stock if required; likewiſe a good Blackſmith and Carpenter. For Terms apply to the Subſcriber, in *Prince-George's* County, near *Upper-Marlborough*.

w4 WILLIAM DIGGES, junr.

September 26, 1772.

TO BE SOLD,

THAT valuable and noted Tract of Land called *Major's Choice*, containing 412 Acres, lying in *Calvert* County, on the *Cliffs of Patuxent*: The Soil remarkably good and equal to any in the Province, and moſt beautifully ſituated as to Proſpect, and for almoſt every Convenience that can be deſired, ſuch as fiſhing, fowling, *&c.* There are on the Premiſes, ſundry Improvements and many Advantages too tedious to mention; to be ſold all-together or in Four Parts. For Terms apply to the Subſcriber, living in *Kent* County, near *New-Town*. w3

JOHN MOORE.

October 10, 1772.

TO BE SOLD,

ABOUT 800 Acres of good Land, in Five Plantations, in *St. Mary's* County; on one of the Plantations, ſituate on the River *Patowmack*, there is a Brick Houſe in good Order, 2 Stories high, with 4 Rooms and a large Paſſage on a Floor, with Office-Houſes, *&c.* Alſo, about 800 Acres in *Virginia*, viz. 499 near the Town of Dumfries, 194 near the *Great Falls of Patowmack*, 92 upon *Cedar Run*, and the Remainder of a Tract of Land in *Fauquier* County, patented to the Rev. *Lawrence De Butts*. Propoſals for the Whole, or any Part of the above recited Lands will be received, and an indiſputable Title made to the Purchaſer, by

tf JOHN DE BUTTS.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

October 4, 1772.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living on *Elk-Ridge, Anne-Arundel* County, *Maryland*, a Servant Man, named *Francis Sellers*, he is about 21 or 22 years old, about 5 Feet 8 or 10 Inches high, brown Hair: Had on and took with him when he went away, an old Caſtor Hat, a brown *Bath coating* Sourtout Coat, a brown Broad Cloth cloſe bodied ditto, a ſky blue coloured Jacket without Sleeves, a pair of Nankeen Breeches, a Pair of Cotton Stockings, a Pair of blue Worſted ditto, Two Pair of Shoes, a Bird-eyed Silk Handkerchief, Two Oſnabrig Shirts, and had Ten Shillings Caſh.——Whoever takes up ſaid Servant and ſecures him, ſo that I may get him again, ſhall have if taken 10 Miles from home 3 Pounds, if 20 Miles 6 Pounds, if farther the above Reward. He can write, and will no doubt forge a Paſs.

6w JAMES HOWARD.

N. B. The above Servant came in the Country about 6 or 7 Years ago, indented for 5 Years, he ſerved the firſt Part of his Time on *Elk-Ridge*, with *Nicholas Greenbury Ridgely*, the remaining Part with *Joſhua Griffith*, at *Elk-Ridge Landing*; after being free he worked ſome Time with *George Gale*, a Stone Maſon, then hired to *Samuel Poole*, ſome Time paſt he and ſome others robed a Store-houſe, on which Account he indented himſelf to *Samuel Poole*, who conſigned him to me.

Charles County, *Maryland*, Oct. 6, 1772.

POMONKEY RACES.

To be run for, at Pomonkey, *on Tueſday the Third Day of* November,

A PURSE of Twenty Pounds, free for any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding; Heats Three Miles each. Four Years old to carry Seven Stone, Five Years old Seven Stone Ten Pounds, Six Years old Eight Stone Seven Pounds, and aged Nine Stone.——On the Day following will be run for at the ſame Place, a Purſe of Ten Pounds, with the Entrance Money of both Days, free for any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding; the winning Horſe the firſt Day only excepted; Heats Two Miles each, carrying Weight for Size. A Horſe Fourteen Hands high to carry 126lb. Saddle and Bridle included, to riſe and fall 14 Pounds the Firſt Inch, and 7 Pounds for every Inch they may be higher or lower.

The Horſes for each Days Purſe, are to be entered on Monday the 2d of *November*, with Mr *Benjamin Douglaſs*, with proper Certificates of their Ages. Entrance 20 Shillings if a Subſcriber, if a Non-Subſcriber 30 Shillings, and if at the Poſt 40 Shillings; and for the 2d Day Subſcribers to pay 15 Shillings, Non-Subſcribers 20 Shillings, and if at the Poſt 30 Shillings. The Horſes to be ſtarted each Day preciſely at One o'Clock. Proper Judges will be appointed to ſettle any Diſputes that may ariſe. 3w

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Annapolis, October 8, 1772.

STOLEN on Monday laſt, a red Leather Pocket-Book, containing a triſle of Money, and ſundry Papers of little Value, except a Bill of Exchange drawn by Mr. *John Dorſey*, on Mr. *James Ruſſel* for £77 12s. Sterling, payable to the Subſcriber at 60 Days ſight, but not indorſed; as payment will be ſtopped in *London*, it can be of no Value but to the Owner. If ſuch a Bill ſhould be offered for Negociation on this Continent, 'tis requeſted the Subſcriber may have Information thereof, in order that the Thief may be detected.

JOHN CLAPHAM.

THE Judges of the Land-Office having repreſented to his Excellency the Governor, that there are a great Number of Certificates in their Office unpatented, many of them are returned by virtue of Warrants, which iſſued more than Two Years ago, and others where the Two Years are near expiring;

His Excellency being deſirous that thoſe who purchaſed Warrants in the Lifetime of the late Lord Proprietary, ſhould have the Benefit of ſuch Warrants, has directed them to give publick Notice, that Patents are made out as uſual, and that Applications for Warrants under the Proclamation will be received, and the Warrants iſſue to the firſt Diſcoverer, in preference to any other Perſon, whenever the Office ſhall be opened,

Signed per Order,

WILLIAM STEUART, Cl. Ld. Office.

Philadelphia, October 1, 1772.

Æquè pauperibus prodest, locupletibus æquè,
Æquè neglectum pueris ſenibuſque nocebit. Hor.

THE Inhabitants of *Lancaſter*, *York*, *Reading*, and Parts adjacent, are deſired to take Notice, that in Conſequence of the earneſt and repeated Solicitations of ſeveral Perſons labouring under Diſorders of their Eyes and Ears, and whoſe particular Circumſtances and Situation preclude them from the Benefit of applying for Aſſiſtance at *Philadelphia*,

Dr. GRAHAM, OCULIST and AURIST, propoſes to be at *Lancaſter* on Sunday, the Firſt of *November* next: ſoom thence he will go to *York-Town* on the Ninth; he will return to *Lancaſter* on the Twelfth, and continue there Two Days longer: on the Fifteenth he propoſes to be at *Reading*; and at his Houſe in *Philadelphia*, on Tueſday the Seventeenth of the ſame Month, at which Places he may be conſulted in all the Diſorders of the Eye and its Appendages; and in every Species of Deafneſs, Thickneſs of Hearing, Ulcerations, Noiſe in the Ears, *&c.*—Thoſe Perſons likewiſe, who have had the unſpeakable Misfortune of being born deaf and dumb, and thoſe who labour under any Impediments in their Speech, by applying perſonally, will, probably, be aſſiſted. Thoſe Perſons whoſe Eyes are utterly periſhed or ſunk in their Heads, may have the Deformity removed by artificial Eyes, ſo curiouſly fixed and adapted to the Orbits, as to have, in Appearance, the Beauties, Motion, *&c.* of a natural Eye in its healthy State.

The Structure and Diſeaſes of thoſe tender, ſympathetic, and nearly connected Organs, to which Nature has aſſigned the moſt important Offices of Life, have for many Years particularly engaged his Attention and Practice; whence, regardleſs of vague conjectural Hypotheſes, he hath deduced, on rational Principles, Methods of Cure, improved and confirmed by the moſt accurate Obſervations in a Courſe of Practice, the moſt extenſive, and, perhaps, the moſt ſucceſsful of any of his Cotemporaries in *Europe* or on this vaſt Continent.

The candid and intelligent Inhabitants of theſe Parts of *Britiſh America* can readily diſtinguiſh true Merit from pretended Knowledge: To conciliate their Favour, Doctor *Graham* begs Leave to aſſure them, that, with Tenderneſs and Moderation, even to the pooreſt Individual, his beſt Abilities ſhall at all Times be exerted to ſerve them. Since his Arrival in this City, in *November*, 1771, Four Hundred and Seventy Patients have been cured or relieved of the following Diſorders, many of which had been of long ſtanding, and deemed incurable by other Practitioners, even by Gentlemen who otherwiſe do Honour to the Profeſſion, the Moderation and Succeſs attending their Practice ſufficiently evincing that they are worthy and capable of the great, the important Charge with which they are entruſted. The chief Diſorders are as follows, viz.—Total, partial and periodical Blindneſs; Weakneſs and Dimneſs of Sight; Squinting; Pain, Swelling and Inflammation of the Eyes; Spots, Specks, Pearls, or Films occaſioned by the Small-pox, Blows, or extraneous Subſtances; weak, watery, red, ſpongy and ulcerated Eye-lids; falling off of the Hairs of the Eye-laſhes;—ſpaſmodic Twiſtings of Muſcles; involuntary Weeping of the Tears; Tumours and Excreſcences; Fiſtulæ lachrymales.—Total and periodical Deafneſs; Hardneſs of Hearing; Pain and Inflamations; painful Senſations in Conſequence of loud Sounds; Cracking, Itching, continual and remitting Noiſes in the Ears; offenſive Runnings occaſioned by Colds, Swimming, Picking and improper Applications, or by long and ſevere Sickneſſes; Inſects and extraneous Bodies getting into the Ears; Ulcerations with Caries of the Bones; Polypi, *&c.*—and ſeveral Perſons born deaf and dumb, who have made very conſiderable Advances in Speaking and Hearing, inſomuch that perfect Cures will probably be effected.

Thoſe who have Occaſion for Aſſiſtance are deſired to apply immediately, for Buſineſs in *Philadelphia* will require his Attendance as uſual, at his Houſe the Corner of *Fifth* and *Market-Streets*, *Tueſday*, the 27th of *November*.

N. B. The Poor who apply properly recommended, will be aſſiſted gratis, with Advice, Medicines, or manual Operations, as their reſpective Caſes may require; and they are deſired to apply every Morning between the Hours of Six and Eight.

Elk-Ridge, October 1, 1772.

To be ſold by publick Vendue, at the late Manſion-Houſe of Caleb Dorſey, *Eſq; deceaſed, in* Queen Caroline's *Pariſh*, Anne-Arundel *County, near the* Elk-Ridge *Furnace, on Tueſday the* 3d *of* November *next, to begin preciſely at* 10 *o'Clock, and to continue from Day to Day till the Whole is ſold,*

A VALUABLE Parcel of Negroes, white Servants, Horſes, breeding Mares, young Colts, working Oxen, Milch Cows, fatting Cattle, young Cattle, Sheep, Swine, *&c.* Waggons, Carts, Ploughs, and a Variety of Huſbandry Implements; Alſo, Houſhold Furniture, and a valuable Quantity of Indian Corn, Wheat and other Grain. Six Months Credit will be given with Intereſt, for all Sums above Ten Pounds, on giving Bond and good Security if required, and ready Money is to be paid for all Sums under Ten Pounds. Attendance will be given on the Premiſes, by *Miſab Dorſey*, and *Eleanor Dorſey*, Executrixes; *Samuel Dorſey* junr. *Edward Dorſey*, junr. and *Michael Pue*, Executors.

All Perſons who have any Demands againſt the Eſtate of the late *Caleb Dorſey*, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their Accounts to the above Executors; and thoſe indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to pay without further Trouble.

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